



Energy Council JPA Update

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Energy Council JPA Update - Background

WMA

- Alameda County Waste Management Authority
 - Source reduction
 - Recycling
- Advance sustainability goals of member agencies
- Link between solid waste management and energy usage

JPA

- Invited member agencies to join an Energy Council JPA
- Secure funding to implement energy related programs



Energy Council JPA Update – Benefits

Energy Council

Member Agency Benefits

Energy initiatives more effectively implemented on a regional basis

Joint implementation of CAP measures

Regional cooperation increases competitiveness of grant proposals

Demonstrates Alameda County prioritizes energy management



Energy Council JPA Update – Powers

Adopt countywide ordinances applicable within a member agency only if the agency "opts-in"

➤ Will **not** have the power to impose taxes or fees

Membership will <u>not</u> require contributions or payments from member agencies, other than staff resources



Energy Council JPA Update – Issues for Hayward

- Liability language
- Independence
- Voting Structure:

Current

One agency - one vote

Proposed

- Same above, except:
- Oakland (3 votes)
- County, Fremont, and Hayward (2 votes)



Energy Council JPA Update – Voting Structure

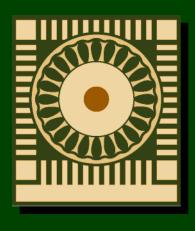
Jurisdiction	Population	% Population	1 Vote per Agency	Proposed Weighted Voting
Alameda	73,812	5%	7%	5%
Albany	18,539	1%	7%	5%
Berkeley	112,580	7%	7%	5%
Dublin	46,036	3%	7%	5%
Emeryville	10,080	1%	7%	5%
Fremont	214,089	14%	7%	10%
Hayward	144,186	10%	7%	10%
Livermore	80,968	5%	7%	5%
Newark	42,573	3%	7%	5%
Oakland	390,724	26%	7%	15%
Piedmont	10,667	1%	7%	5%
Pleasanton	70,285	5%	7%	5%
San Leandro	84,950	6%	7%	5%
Union City	69,516	5%	7%	5%
Unincorporated County	141,266	9%	7%	10%
TOTAL	1,510,271	100%	15	20



Energy Council JPA Update – Next Steps

- Council effective on March 29, 2013
- > Cities of Albany, Emeryville, and Union City have already joined
- Will be considered by the City Council in late February or early March.
- > Staff will closely monitor the formation of the JPA including action by other Alameda County cities.
- ▶ If agencies choose not to join at this time, the option will still be available at a later date upon an affirmative vote by the Energy Council Board.







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